## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF	)			
CLARK RURAL ELECTRIC	)			
COOPERATIVE COR-	)			
PORATION FOR	)			
AUTHORITY TO DEVIATE	)	CASE	NO.	8962
FROM 807 KAR 5:006,	)			
SECTION 15, AND TO	)			
MAINTAIN ITS METER	)			
RECORDS ON COMPUTER	)			

## ORDER

Clark Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation ("Clark"), by letter received December 28, 1983, requested permission to transfer its meter test records and historical data from a card file to an on-line computer information storage and retrieval system. This request to deviate from Regulation 807 KAR 5:006, Section 15, was made in compliance with Regulation 807 KAR 5:006, Section 24. Additional information was requested by the Commission and it was received on February 14, 1984.

The Commission, having considered the evidence of record and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that:

1. The meter test and historical data required by Regulation 807 KAR 5:006, Section 15, will be maintained in the computer storage system or else it will be retained in a card file;

- 2. Adequate provisions for data storage, protection of stored data and retrieval of information from the computer storage have been made; and
- 3. The proposed system will improve the record keeping operations of Clark and will benefit both Clark and its members; therefore, this application should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the application of Clark for a deviation from the requirement of Regulation 807 KAR 5:006, Section 15, be and it hereby is sustained, and the meter test and historical data may be transferred to and stored in an on-line computer information storage and retrieval system.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Clark shall prepare an annual printout from the computer which lists those meters which will be due for a periodic test during the following year.

Done at Frankfort, Rentucky, this 2nd day of March, 1984.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary